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Consecration Sunday

This Sunday, November 12, is Consecration Sunday. This is the day in our church year that we bring our tithe and offering commitments and place them on the altar of our church.

We invite and encourage **every member and friend** of First Methodist Church to fill out their forms and be **present** on this special Sunday. If you are not able to worship with us in person, we encourage you to mail your form to the church office at P. O. Box 444, Yazoo City, MS 39194.

“Bring all the tithes into the storehouse so that there will be food enough in my Temple; if you do, I will open up the windows of heaven for you and pour out a blessing so great you won’t have room enough to take it in! Try it! Let me prove it to you! Malachi 3:10, The Living Bible



Please join us this Sunday afternoon, November 12, at 4 p.m. as we celebrate all the wonderful things that God has done in our church and in all our lives in a **districtwide Worship Service** to sing, pray and share!

This is our first charge conference as the First Methodist Church as part of the Global Methodist Church. It is also the first districtwide gathering of the Delta District of the Mississippi-West Tennessee Conference.

Currently there are thirteen churches in our district and most plan to join us in this charge conference and celebration.

We hope you will make a special effort to attend.

November

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 12

- 9:00 a.m. Contemporary Service
- 9:50 a.m. Sunday School
- 11:00 a.m. Traditional Worship Service
- 11:00 a.m. Live Stream Worship
- 4:00 p.m. Charge Conference
- 5:30 p.m. Solid Ground Youth

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 14

- 6:00 p.m. Bible Study Millie's House

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 15

- 4:30 p.m. Ladies Handbell Choir
- 6:00 p.m. Adult Bible Study
- 6:00 p.m. Chancel Choir

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18

- 9-12 noon Methodist Market



Remember to bring your boxes outside the church office by Wednesday, November 15. Thank you for your missionary work helping "Waiting Children of the World."



NOVEMBER Birthdays & Anniversaries

- 14. Allison Hughes
- 15. Calvin "Man" Brookins
- 16. Emily Burton
Kim Woodard
- 17. Zoe Henick



Christmas Poinsettias

It's Poinsettia Time again. Each year during the Advent and Christmas season, we use poinsettias to decorate the Church Sanctuary and take time to remember and honor loved ones, family, and friends. There will be order forms at the back of the Sanctuary and in the Sunday school rooms. You may also call the church office or look on the church website to purchase your poinsettias.



Last Sunday, our children had a visit from the Davis Petting Zoo. They all enjoyed petting and learning about all the different animals.



For the month of November, we will begin a new series called **Following Wisdom**. The lessons we will be covering are "God's Wisdom," "Wisdom for Problems," "The Way to God," and "Keep Going God's Way." These lessons begin after the death of King David, and take us through the reign of his son, King Solomon. Solomon was young when he became King, and he looked to God for guidance. For the next few weeks, we will be studying about the wisdom of King Solomon.

W.O.W. Wednesday

Wednesday night Bible Study for Grades K-6th will begin at 5:30 p.m. This year's Bible Study will be Bible-in-Crafts. We have been enjoying all the amazing stories in the Bible from the Book of Genesis. As we begin the month of November, we will be learning about God's faithfulness to Abraham. We will be talking about Isaac, Jacob and Esau, and the redeeming story of Joseph. Supper will be at 6:15, and we will dismiss at 6:30 p.m.



Sunday and Wednesday Night Youth Group have been talking about the importance of living a Christ-like life. We all have a story that God is writing for each of us. Sunday nights we have been having a great group of youth who continue to show up ready to study God's word. We have made a slight time change for Sunday's and will be gathering at 5:30 for this semester. Wednesday Nights we will have supper at 6:15 p.m. followed by Bible Study at 6:40 p.m.

WINTER XTREME

The youth will be attending **Winter Extreme** in Branson, December 27-29. We will hear multiple speakers and Christian Artists. We will also have a few activities planned in the Branson area. Final payment of \$50 is due by November 15th for those who still owe.

Spring Break

There has been interest among the youth to plan a trip during Spring Break. Options have been presented, and a sign-up/interest deadline has been set for November 8th, for the trip to come to fruition. If nothing is done, there will be no trip.

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Greeters	Christy & Albert Vandevere/Marilyn Burnett
Scripture	Matthew 22:15-22
Sermon	“The Heart of Giving”
Flowers	Rosemary & Rich Knox

DAILY BIBLE READINGS

NOVEMBER

12. 24th Sunday after Pentecost	Mark 12:38-44
13. What can mortals do?	Psalm 56:10-11
14. Singing for joy	Psalm 92:1-5
15. In peaceful trust	Isaiah 26:3-4
16. A mighty prophet is born	1 Samuel 1:4-20
17. None like the Lord	1 Samuel 2:1-10
18. Written in the heart	Hebrews 10:11-14, (15-18), 19-25